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PATENT APPLICATION
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(s): QIN, Yixian et al. **EXAMINER:** BOR, Helene Catherine
SERIAL NO.: 10/522,452 **ART UNIT:** 3768
FILED: June 20, 2005 **DATE:** May 13, 2007
FOR: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SCANNING CONFOCAL
ACOUSTIC DIAGNOSTIC FOR BONE QUALITY**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.

For	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate (Small Entity)	Addit. Fee	Rate	Addit. Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS*	30	30	0	x 25 =	\$0	x 50 =	\$0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	4	0	x100 =	\$0	x200 =	\$0
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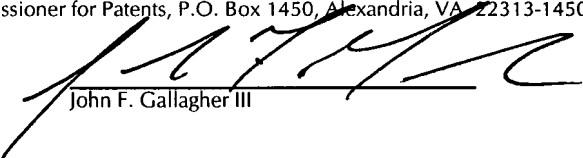
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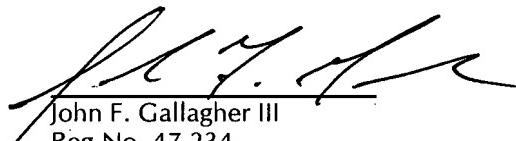
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- Please charge any deficiency as well as any other fee(s) which may become due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and/or 1.17 at any time during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment of such fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 50-4053. Also, in the event any extensions of time for responding are required for the pending application(s), please treat this paper as a petition to extend the time as required and charge Deposit Account No. 50-4053 therefor. A DUPLICATE OF THIS SHEET IS ENCLOSED.

Respectfully submitted,



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SUBMISSION OF REPLACEMENT FORMAL DRAWING SHEETS

Sir:

Further to the Amendment submitted in response to the Office Action dated March 13, 2007, please replace Figs. 1a, 1b and 2 with the three (3) drawing sheets provided herewith.

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